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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONGRESS

**MULL**—We are authorized to announce Hon. Cordell Hull, as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the Fourth Congressional District of Tennessee, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Gov. Rye's popularity is due to his sincerity and integrity, coupled with a unflinching determination to do right. Cautious and plodding in forming opinions, his mind once made up, he has the courage of his convictions. Clean and honest himself, he requires like qualities in his associates. His only ambition is to be of real service to the people; his chief desire the public welfare.

The state board of education will meet in Nashville on June 13, at which time the faculty for Tennessee Polytechnic Institute will be named. The board will select every member of the faculty with a view only to ability and efficiency. With the faculty chosen another step is taken toward the opening of the state's newest educational institution.

Representative E. L. Wirt should have the support of every man, woman and child in Putnam county in his race for re-election. The securing of a great state school for this section was the greatest single event for the people that ever occurred. Its benefits can not be estimated, because in practical education may be found one of the most powerful stimulants to good citizenship.

Baxter is a growing and prosperous town. It has no booms, but shows steady progress, the best kind of growth. The recent sale of lots indicate the building of quite a number of new homes this year. Baxter is surrounded by a good farming section. Her business men are progressive and carry large stocks. She possesses a sterling class of citizens, has good schools and churches. With these advantages coupled with ample banking facilities Baxter should continue to grow. So mote it be.

### MUST HAVE MORE WATER

The laying of additional mains to the Polytechnic grounds and greatly increased use of water that will result make it necessary for the city to provide more water than the wells now pumped furnish. In fact the city must have more water.

We understand that water can be brought from the Whitson springs at an expense of \$5,000 to \$6,000. These springs will furnish more water during a dry season than our wells produce, so that the supply would be more than doubled.

We hope the board of aldermen will at once take up this question. Ample authority has been granted by the legislature.

Water can be secured and necessary mains laid for \$10,000 or less. The growth of the city demands more water. Gentlemen of the board, please get busy.

### ARGYLE, TEXAS

Everybody is well and at work, which is behind because of so much rain. Some corn has been plowed the third time and laid by. Cotton is very little yet.

G. F. Vaughn returned from Fort Worth last night, where he had been to a Republican convention.

Slater Alice B. why don't you answer my letter. I will come and see what is the reason.

Josie Welch, I want you to write to the Herald or me and give me Mrs. Wash Henry's address. I aim to visit her this summer.

Loretta P. Vaughn.

## THE MAKING OF "POLY"

A perusal of the journals of the senate and house shows some interesting facts in regard to the passage of the bill creating the Polytechnic school at Cookeville. That the plans for passing the bill were carefully laid and carried out is proven by the remarkable vote on its passage.

The vote in the senate was 25 for, to seven against the bill. Every Republican senator voted aye. It was passed by more than a three-fourths vote. In the house the vote was 57 for, to 31 against, nearly two-thirds in favor of the school. Of these numbers 40 Democrats and 17 Republicans voted aye, 24 Democrats and seven Republicans voted no.

Gov. Rye unanimously signed the bill, completing the act of creating this great school and locating it in the capital of the Upper Cumberland country. This fact should never be forgotten and the name of Tom C. Rye, should ever be revered in this section. Suppose he had vetoed the bill.

The big fight came over the attempt to repeal the law, one of the fiercest contests ever waged in the legislative halls of the state, but in which both sides kept in good humor and contested honorably.

The record shows 12 Republicans and 37 Democrats voted for repeal; 9 Republicans and 28 Democrats against. Five members were present and not voting, and eight were absent. This bill never came up in the senate.

The editor hopes some day to write a complete history of "Poly."

## ONE SIDED

By some queer quirk human nature is so constituted that a great many persons can see but one side to a question. The capitalist finds no middle ground between his position and that of the ardent labor advocate. The prohibitionist believes the anti-prohibitionist is either a drinker himself or in the pay of the liquor traffic. The peace propagandist holds out no hope for the man who wants peace through preparedness. The suffragist thinks the anti-suffragist is against all women. The small town and the rural district are more inflexible in their opinions than the larger cities. This is caused by the comparative aloofness of the residents of small towns from their neighbors.

Where people are thrown together closely, as they are in the apartments and flats of the large cities, they are more tolerant. They allow their neighbor the right to do and think as he pleases, and take the same privileges to themselves. It has only been in the last few years that a more tolerant spirit is beginning to show itself. We have been in the habit of forming opinions about the conduct of our lives, and then rushing to the legislature to get laws passed to compel other people to live as we think they should. This has had the inevitable result of bringing about a reaction among those we would seek to regulate, and we are learning, slowly—all too slowly, that our life is our own to conduct, but that the lives of other people are theirs and the right to live as they see fit is also their inalienable right. We are learning that we spend too much time pleading with the legislature, when we should be at home teaching our children the difference between right and wrong. Nothing can be gained for the strengthening of character by force of law. In education alone can we reach the end we desire. The exercise of the power of resistance and the constant overcoming of obstacles go to form character and the upbuilding of spiritual force and better citizenship. Self-control is the supreme test of the individual. Neither history nor philosophy support the belief that character is formed by prohibitive laws.

## GOV. RYE ACCEPTS

Following is the speech made by Gov. Rye accepting his renomination:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: If I may be permitted to judge the temperament and determination of the representatives of Democracy here assembled, it is not necessary that I call upon you to stand up and enter into a covenant and agreement with me that you will return to your respective homes and from now on, until the polls shall close in November, labor earnestly and industriously to achieve victory in the approaching contest. No such pledge or promise is needed; you are already in the fight; determination is written upon every face, and the exultant note of victory is in every voice. We have enlisted in this fight to win, and we are going to win a glorious victory from Woodrow Wilson down.

"The questions that have heretofore brought division, discord and defeat to our party have been settled, and settled right. So let them be, and let us here and now bury in one common grave all the bitterness, all the strife and discord that past differences may have engendered and turn from this new-made grave to face the future, determined to consecrate all the energies and all the efforts of a reunited, triumphant Democracy to the cause of the greatest good to the greatest number. And seek to enact such progressive legislation for the benefit of our people as will place Tennessee where she justly and rightfully belongs, in the forefront of her sister commonwealths. Let there be no interests to serve as against the masses, but may the disposition, determination and desire upon the part of every representative to honestly represent his constituency and serve

the state's best interests, put to silence the selfish and exacting demands of the lobby that the voice of the people may be heard and obeyed.

"I congratulate you upon the fact that, while the old world is involved in war and contending armies are busy in shedding human blood, the old ship of state, carefully guided and controlled by that master hand at the White House, has escaped the destructive rock of war, and with streamered masts and big white sails floats on the placid waters of peace, while our people are permitted to enjoy that happiness and contentment peace alone can bring.

"If we are to win a glorious victory such as I believe awaits us in November, we must be up and doing, for the enemy is alert and every effort will be made to bring defeat to our cause. Let us buckle on the armor of the old-time, enthusiastic Democracy and go forth to dare and conquer; let us assail the party of corporate greed in the very citadel of its power, and put to flight every enemy that dares to challenge the right of the people to rule. You may be assured of the fact no effort will be spared upon the part of the Republican party to regain its former prestige and power, both in state and nation. Already the campfires are lighted and councils of war are being held. One of the big chiefs of the state, while attending a council of war a few days ago, lost his grip in Washington. I regret this incident and earnestly hope and trust that he may recover it. Some time prior to the happening of this event the same 'big chief' lost his grip in Tennessee, and I was glad of it and earnestly hope and trust that he may never recover it.

"Scarce two years ago, standing on this platform, the representatives of the Democratic party placed in my hands the banner of Democracy. With their assistance victory perched upon my humble way to so administer the affairs of the office you gave me as to return that banner unsullied and unstained by any voluntary act of mine. As an official of the state I have tried to 'keep the faith,' endeavored to be true to the pledges and declarations of the platform upon which I was elected. That I have made mistakes I need not tell you, because you know that, alas! too well. I considered that nomination, and the election that followed the greatest honor that could come to any man, but after a year and a half of effort to discharge the duties of the position, to receive at the hands of a united party an endorsement of my official acts, is a greater honor than the first conferred. I shall take the banner again and do all that within me lies to bear it to victory, and I am persuaded that with your loyal assistance we can plant that banner upon a still greater majority than the one received before.

"And now, in conclusion, permit me to thank you from the depths of my heart for the honor you have done me. I assure you that, standing in this presence to receive at your hands this undeserved and unearned compliment, I am profoundly sensible of the fact that to your indulgence and to that charity with which you have so generously and so graciously covered all my faults and shortcomings, I am indebted for this expression of your approval and this guarantee of your faith and trust in me, for which I thank you again and again.

## Not The Only One

There Are Other Cookeville People Similarly situated.

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Cookeville residents? After you have read the following, quietly answer the question.

Walter Crawford, telephone line-man, Cedar St., Cookeville says:

"Heavy lifting and straining at my work disordered my kidneys. My back ached intensely and I got so sore and lame that I had to lay off from work. I had severe headaches and dizzy spells and the least cold settled on my kidneys, making my back worse. When a friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, I got some at Wyl's Drug Store. They relieved the pains in my back and put my kidneys in good shape."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Crawford had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## WHERE TO GO FOR YOUR REGISTERED LIVE STOCK

Division of Extension Issues Complete List of Tennessee Breeders of Live Stock.

(By Harry B. Potter, Division of Extension, University of Tennessee.)

What will likely prove of great value to the farmer of Tennessee is a pamphlet just issued by the Division of Extension of the College of Agriculture. It lists the names and addresses of all Tennessee Breeders of Registered Live Stock.

For some time there has been a call for just such a list. Farmers desiring a certain breed of live stock have not known where they could go to get the foundation stock. This publication will be sent free to any one addressing the Division of Extension, College of Agriculture, Knoxville, Tennessee.

In the pamphlet are listed the names and addresses of the breeders of the various breeds of beef cattle, dairy cattle, dual purpose cattle, horses, jacks and jennets, sheep and goats, and swine. Leading breeds are illustrated.

There is also given a list of the various national live stock associations, with their officers. In fact, the bulletin is complete in directing the reader to the kind of live stock he desires to produce on his farm.

## ALWAYS A PLACE ON THE TABLE FOR GREENS

Turnip Is Thought By Many to Be the Best and Most Useful—Furnishes Greens Throughout Winter.

(By Charles A. Keffer, Division of Extension, University of Tennessee.)

No matter what is left out of Tennessee gardens, turnips are sure to be put in. It is as natural for the Tennessee farmer to sow turnips the first week in August as it is for the first week in August to come around regularly once a year. And the best part of the turnip is its green top. It is a hardy plant, the turnip. All through the winter, whenever the weather is a little above freezing, the turnip grows a bit and thus provides greens when everything else in the garden is brown and dead. Of course we may have kale, but what Tennesseean, familiar from babyhood with jowl and turnip greens, would accept such a substitute?

Throughout the winter we may have turnip greens, but as the warm days of March come on the turnips send up their blossom stalks in spite of all our cutting; and by the middle of April our favorite greens are but a memory.

Turnip greens can have no rival during their season, but even a native Tennesseean may admit a possible successor.

We ought to eat greens all the year round: they are health giving. So if you have not already done so, plant spinach for greens in May and June. Mustard is too much like turnip—a poor imitation of a good thing. But spinach has individuality, it is distinct from every other green that grows. Sow the seed in drills, in good rich soil; thin to three inches, hoe well, and watch it grow!

A few messes of spinach in the spring will almost make the loyal Tennesseean waver in his devoted to turnip greens. But spinach is a spring vegetable, so the turnip will remain unrivalled in its season. There are those among us who have learned that spinach sown in late fall will survive the winter and be ready for use just as the turnip shoots up to bloom.

## CLASSIFICATION LIST READY.

To avoid confusion and to make the work of judging at county fairs easier, live stock should be properly classified. The Extension Division, College of Agriculture, Knoxville, Tennessee, has prepared a printed classification that will be sent free to those who are interested in county fairs plans.

## Here I Am, Read Up

Well, for another chat, Criminal court has broke. Everything went off quiet, as Judge Gardenhire has that kind of court. Well, I haven't very much to tell you this week except if you want an automobile, Cookeville is the place to get any kind you want and all kinds of supplies as there are two garages and will soon have the third one, as Henry Dies, will operate or manage it, and Henry is around here when it comes to an auto or a deal for one. And W. W. Brown and Son trade and deals in autos and have supplies on hand. Dr. Guthrie in the Shirley Clean is in the same business. All nice, clean men, so when you want a new auto or supplies come to Cookeville where they will sell them cheaper than any one up in the mountain country because they are right on the railroad and there is no expense only to load with gasoline and water and then you are ready to trade or sell, so Cookeville is headquarters for autos to hire or trade. So call around when in Cookeville and get you a good, hot lunch as the rough riders have got back from a nice mountain hunt and brought me all kinds of wild meats, and it is fresh. I asked Waldo Bryant why he did not bring back a ham of black bear. He told me he killed it but sold it as he was just about to express it to me. The boys all told me they had a nice trip. Jim Lan Cannon, the small gun, Carl Davis, Irmie Medley, Waldo Bryant, the bear killer, and the father of Ester Cate, managed the guns while on the mountain. So I am still in Cookeville selling all kinds of hot lunches and soft drinks, and cut hair and shave in a nice, clean barber shop and restaurant, and all the good, cool, nice, clean beds for 25c, meals the same way, so call around and see me and rest, while I chat you. If I am busy I will get Tim Apple to entertain you until I can get to you, for I can put any kind of chin music to you that you want, or have it done if I am busy. I still keep a good electric fan in my place of business to make the shop and restaurant comfortable on hot days or nights, so call around any time of night or day and get you a good haircut and shave, or bed, lunch or meal, I am ready to wait on you day or night. Say I forgot to tell you all to meet me just between Baxter and Double Springs as there is a western broncho there in the big woods that can't be caught, I will get the gentleman Sunday. All I want is a swift horse and a rope about 60 ft. long. The pony is caught when I get in 30 or 40 yards of him, as I can catch him by the foot or tail with a rope, no difference how swift he is for I am some swift when it comes to catching horses and cattle, for I have been hungry many times and caught cattle and cut a lunch out of their hams and turned them loose after putting some pulverized alum and sulphur where I cut my lunch out. Nobody knows how hungry a man gets like a cowboy does, hungry a man gets like a cowboy does, among the wolves and mountain lions, with your horse's neck for a pillow. Henry Moore is back on the streets of Cookeville after having been with Burns United Show and now expects a job with a larger show and will leave in a few days to parts unknown. Henry is a k. in every way. Well, I have to cut some hair and shave a man right now, so excuse me for the small space as I haven't any more time this week.

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## Delinquent Tax-Payers, Take Notice!

On the first Monday in June, next, at the Courthouse door, in the County of Putnam, Town of Cookeville, Tennessee, I will offer for public sale all the real estate belonging to delinquent tax payers for the year 1915. The following is a list of such delinquents, the district in which the property is situated and the number of acres in each tract as follows:

First District	
Caruthers, James	1 Lot
Fourth District	
Cooper, M. W. (heirs)	319 acres
Swindle, Sam	30 acres
Actor, A. G.	822 acres
Bryant, George	25 acres
Brown, Sim.	50 acres
Bumblough, J. T.	194 acres
Goodson, E. E.	410 acres
Fifth District	
Vinson, Henry	50 acres
Walker, J. B.	25 acres
Seventh District	
Spitzer, G. C.	1 Lot
McBroom, W. W.	1 Lot
Eighth District	
Cole, T. J.	5 acres
Elrod, James (heirs)	40 acres
Hickey, Martha	100 acres
Hickey, Whitton	35 acres
Hutchens, W. A.	35 acres
Medell, Nance	17 acres
Rice, L. M.	131 acres
Trobough, James	2 acres
Tenth District	
Vinson, Harvey	135 acres
Thirteenth District	
Johnson, Walter	3 acres
Mitchell, Mrs. Hannah	30 acres
J. L. Roberts	40 acres
Maxwell, F. C.	33 acres
Hall, C. A. and Troy	3 lots
Fourteenth District	
Andrews, W. J.	8 Lots
Boswell, J. S.	2 Lots
Clouse, J. E.	1 Lot
Hunt, Mrs. Jackie	4 Lots
Wilhoit, Mrs. W. W.	7 Lots
Bates, L. A. (heirs)	1000 acres
Cumberland Coal & Realty Co.	1100 acres
Missouri Coal & Land Co.	4000 acres
McMillin, Benton	333 acres
John McMillin and N. G. Robertson	667 acres
Poteet, John	25 acres
Rucker, E. B.	20 acres
Seventeenth District	
Snodgrass, H. C.	3 acres
Eighteenth District	
Apple, Henderson	1 Lot
Clinton, M. T.	1 acre
Hall, Joseph	4 acres
Halfacre, Jim	2 acres
Jernigan, J. C. (heirs)	1 acre
Myers, Ed.	12 acres
Nineteenth District	
Roberts, Fate	4 acres
Kornman, Loui (Trustee)	90 acres
And if said sale is not completed on first Monday in June, the same will be continued from day to day until completed.	
This 15th day of May, 1916.	
D. E. SLAGLE, Trustee.	
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## ROUTE FOUR

M. M. and G. W. Jaquess, your letters are fine. When I get the Herald I always look for Allie, N. M. We sure answered your letter and sent those seeds.

E. A. Lewis is not well at present, but can get around very well for her age. She will be 80 years old Sept. 27. She joins me in sending our love to all our friends and relatives of the Herald family, especially our dear friends and neighbors in and around Granville. We haven't forgotten the kindness you all showed us when we lost our house by fire. We love dear old Jackson county and its people.

Miranda Chaffin and family, I would be glad to see you all.

W. J. Lewis and family, do you take the Herald? If you do please write and let us hear from you.

T. W. Dyer has gone to Martin's Creek.

Uncle Ben Fox is very feeble and suffers lots with his hand, affected with something like a cancer.

T. W. Dyer has a good milch cow for sale, also some calves.

This writer has been on the sick list for two weeks but is none better now.

Love and best wishes to all. May the Lord's blessing rest on all who love and serve him, and in Heaven save us, is my prayer. Mary Dyer

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